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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

In re application of: **Hinrich Schuetze et al.**

Application Number 09/421,416	Filing Date 10/19/1999	Examiner J. Fleurantin			Group Art Unit 2172	
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR QUANTITATIVELY REPRESENTING DATA OBJECTS IN VECTOR SPACE						
TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.						
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Indep. Claims	4	Minus	4 =	0	x \$ 84	\$ 0.00
Total Additional Fee for this Amendment					\$ 0.00	

- No additional fee is required.
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- A return receipt postcard is enclosed.
- Additional papers enclosed: Amendment


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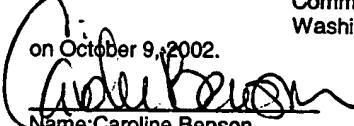
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Application of: Hinrich Schuetze et al.

) Art Unit: 2172

Appl. No.: 09/421,416

) Examiners: J. Fleurantin

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Title: **System and Method for Quantitatively Representing Data Objects in a Vector Space**

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AMENDMENT pursuant to 37 CFR 1.116(c)

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of August 19, 2002, and pursuant to 37 CFR 1.116 (c), please amend the above-identified application as follows: